IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS WACO DIVISION

MICHAEL STEVEN MOATES,

Plaintiff,

\$ 6:22-CV-00626-ADA-JCM

v.

JOSEPH R. BIDEN, JR., et al.,

Defendants.

ORDER ADOPTING MAGISTRATE JUDGE'S REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION

Before the Court is the Report and Recommendation of United States Magistrate Judge Jeffrey C. Manske. ECF No. 12. The Report recommends that this Court deny Plaintiff's Motion to Proceed in forma pauperis (ECF No. 2). The Report and Recommendation was filed on June 29, 2022.

A party may file specific, written objections to the proposed findings and recommendations of the magistrate judge within fourteen days after being served with a copy of the report and recommendation, thereby securing *de novo* review by the district court. 28 U.S.C. § 636(b); Fed. R. Civ. P. 72(b). A district court need not consider "[f]rivolous, conclusive, or general objections." *Battle v. U.S. Parole Comm'n*, 834 F.2d 419, 421 (5th Cir. 1987) (quoting *Nettles v. Wainwright*, 677 F.2d 404, 410 n.8 (5th Cir. 1982) (en banc), *overruled on other grounds by Douglass v. United States Auto. Ass'n*, 79 F.3d 1415 (5th Cir. 1996)).

Plaintiff filed objections on June 29, 2022. ECF No. 13. The Court has conducted a *de novo* review of the motion to dismiss, the responses, the report and recommendation, the objections to the report and recommendation, and the applicable laws. After that thorough review, the Court is persuaded that the Magistrate Judge's findings and recommendation should be adopted.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the Report and Recommendation of United States Magistrate Judge Manske, ECF No. 12, is **ADOPTED**.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Plaintiff's objections are OVERRULED.

IT IS FINALLY ORDERED that Plaintiff's Motion to Proceed in forma pauperis (ECF No. 2) is **DENIED** in accordance with the Report and Recommendation.

SIGNED this 18th day of October, 2022.

ALAN D ALBRIGHT

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE